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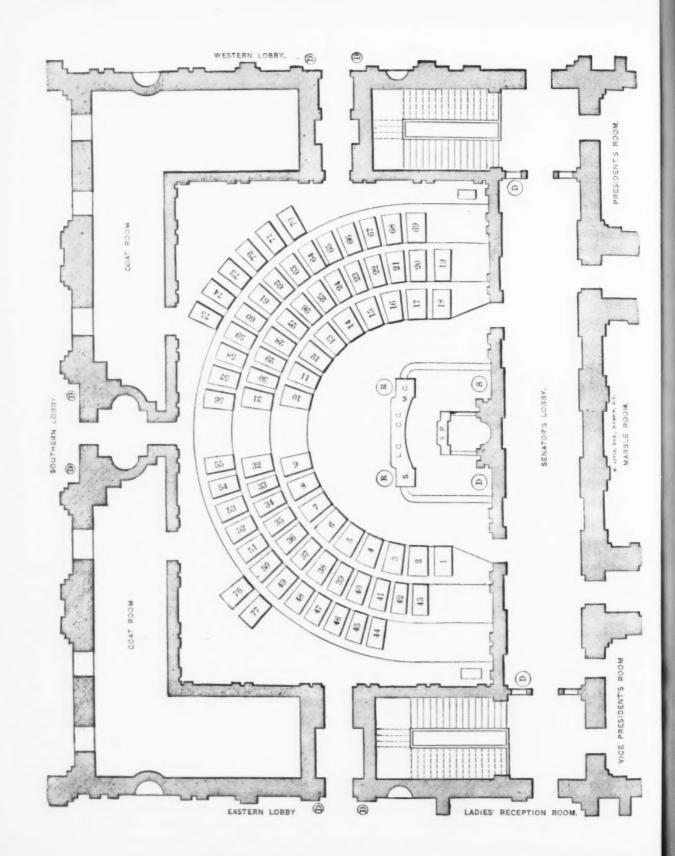


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SECOND SESSION OF THE FORTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.

WILLIAM A. WHEELER, President of the Senate, Malone, New York.

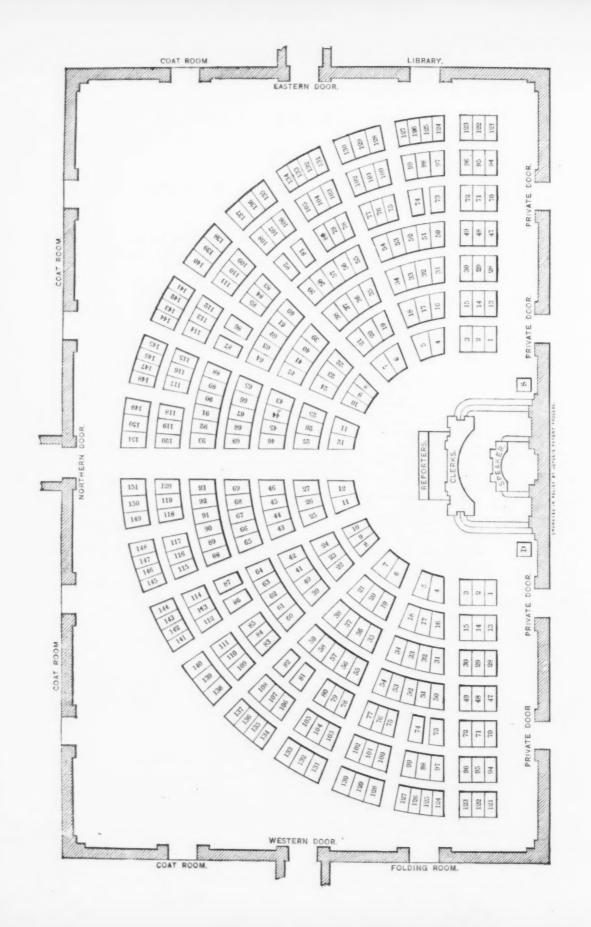
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John R. French	. Sergeant-at-Arms	. Washington, District of Columbia.
		. Washington, District of Columbia,
W. E. Creary	. Postmaster	. Ferryville, Michigan.

^{*} Died June 5, 1878.

[†] Elected to fill the vacancy caused by the death of W. J. McDonald.



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IN THE

SECOND SESSION OF THE FORTY-FIFTH CONGRESS.

Samuel J. Randall, Speaker, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania.

Name.	Post-office address.	Seat.	Name.	Post-office address.	Seat.
cklen, J. H	Pattersonville, Louisiana	145 west.	Clymer, Hiester	Reading, Pennsylvania	101 ea
iken, D. Wyatt	Cokesbury, South Carolina	69 east.	Cobb, Thomas R	Vincennes, Indiana	90 ea
ldrich, William	Chicago, Illinois	16 west.	Cole, Nathan	Saint Louis, Missouri	118 we
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aker, John H	Goshen, Indiana	129 west.	Covert, James W	Flushing, New York	146 ea
aker, William H	Constantia, New York	10 west.	Cox, Jacob D	Toledo, Ohio	68 we
allou, Latimer W	Woonsocket, Rhode Island	113 west.	Cox, Samuel S	New York, New York	39 es
anks, Nathaniel P	Waltham, Massachusetts	21 west.	Crapo, William W	New Bedford, Massachusetts	138 we
anning, Henry B	Cincinnati, Ohio	3 east.	Cravens, Jordan E	Clarksville, Arkansas	66 es
avne, Thomas M	Allegheny City, Pennsylvania.	80 west.	Crittenden, Thomas T.	Warrensburgh, Missouri	124 er
eebe, George M	Monticello, New York	9 east.	Culberson, David B	Jefferson, Texas	112 es
		76 east.		Winterset, Iowa	18 w
ell, Hiram P	Cumming, Georgia		Commings, Henry J. B.		27 es
enedict, Charles B icknell, George A	Attica, New York New Albany, Indiana	52 east. 48 west.	Cutler, Augustus W Danford, Lorenzo	Morristown, New Jersey , Saint Clairsville, Ohio	104 w
	Jacksonville, Florida	84 west.	Darrall, Chester B*	Brashear, Louisiana	27 W
sbee, Horatio, jr ackburn, Joseph C. S	Versailles, Kentucky	40 east.		San Francisco, California	4 w
air, Henry W		92 west.	Davis, Horace	Louisburgh, North Carolina	95 e
	Plymouth, New Hampshire				114 e
and, Richard P	Lebanon, Missouri		Davidson, Robert H. M.	Quincy, Florida	126 w
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oone, Andrew R	Mayfield, Kentucky	128 east.	Denison, Dudley C	Royalton, Vermont	
onck, Gabriel	Oshkosh, Wisconsin	144 east.	Dibrell, George G	Sparta, Tennessee	103 €
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^{*}Seat contested, and awarded to J. H. Ackien.

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oode, John	Norfolk, Virginia	E2 east.	O'Neill, Charles	Philadelphia, Pennsylvania	88 W
unter, Thomas M	Fayetteville, Arkansas	88 east.	Overton, Edward, jr	Towanda, Pennsylvania	107 w
ale, Eugene	Ellsworth, Maine	145 west.	Pacheco, Romualdot	San Luis Obispo, California	112 w
amilton, Andrew H	Fort Wayne, Indiana	63 east.	Page, Horace F	Placerville, California	136 w
anna, John	Indianapolis, Indiana	38 west.	Patterson, George W	Westfield, New York	7 W
ardenbergh, A. A	Jersey City, New Jersey	136 east.	Patterson, T. M	Denver, Colorado	3 10
rmer, Alfred C	Germantown, Pennsylvania	31 west.	Peddie, Thomas B	Newark, New Jersey	81 w
rris, Benjamin W	East Bridgewater, Mass	78 west.	Phelps, James	Essex, Connecticut	4 e
rris, Henry R	Greenville, Georgia	77 east.	Phillips, William A	Salina, Kansas	99 W
rris, John T	Harrisonburgh, Virginia	46 west.	Pollard, Henry M	Chillicothe, Missouri	148 w
rrison, Carter H	Chicago, Illinois	51 east.	Potter, Clarkson N	61 Wall street, New York	151 e
rt, E. Kirke	Albion, New York	99 east.	Pound, Thad. C	Chippewa Falls, Wisconsin	76 w
rtridge, Julian	Savannah, Georgia	67 east.	Powers, Llewellyn	Houlton, Maine	66 w
rtzell, William	Chester, Illinois	141 east.	Price, Hiram	Davenport, Iowa	71 w
skell, Dudley C	Lawrence, Kansas	74 west.	Pridemore, Auburn L	Jonesville, Virginia	135 €
tcher, Robert A	New Madrid, Missouri	74 east.	Pugh John Howard	Burlington, New Jersey	150 w
yes, Philip C	Morris, Illinois	125 west.	Quinn, Terence J.:	Albany, New York	83 €
zelton, George C	Boscobel, Wisconsin	120 west.	Rainey, Joseph H	Georgetown, South Carolina	96 w
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nter, Morton C	Bloomington, Indiana	57 west.	Ross, Miles	New Brunswick, New Jersey	127
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ner, Anthony	Saint Louis, Missouri	44 west.	Sampson, Ezekiel S		11 7
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Corlett, William W Fenn, Stephen S	Salt Lake City, Utah	45 west. 122 east.	Maginnis, Martin Romero, Trinidad	Vermillion, Dakota Helena, Montana Las Vegas, New Mexico Tucson, Arizona	109 east 116 east 75 west 120 east



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Mr. Conger made the point of order that the resolution ma		
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the House under Rule 130, which prescribed the mode of procedure during the morning hour of Monday, and that Rule 41 referred and related only to the mode and time of considering a subject already before the House, and in effect related only to the order of bus-iness, and being long anterior in date to Rule 130, could not change the specific provisions of the latter Mr. Cox, of New York, made the point of order that under the Constitution the river and harbor bill was not in order. The Speaker overruled the point of order on the ground that it was not the duty of the Chair to construe the Constitution as affecting or touching any proposed legislation

Mr. Reagan made the point of order that a protest submitted
by Mr. Coxof New York against the passage of the river and harbor bill was not in order, and that when the same was presented it was not presented as a question of privilege. The Speaker overruled the point of order on the ground that Mr. Cox rose to a question of privilege and sent to the Clerk's desk to be read a paper relating to the said question of privilege, and until the same was read the Chair could not rule upon the said paper. Mr. Reagan appealed from the decision of the Chair, but withdrew it. Mr. Garfield renewed it, and Mr. Fort moved that the appeal do lie on the table; which was carried—yeas 131, nays 102, not voting 59; so the appeal from the decision of the Chair was laid on the table.

Mr. Hale raised the question of order that the paper of Mr. Cox, of New York, did not involve a question of privand harbor bill was not in order, and that when the Cox, of New York, did not involve a question of privilege. The House decided that it did not..... Pacific Railroad act must receive its first considera-tion in the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union, under Rule 112. The Speaker overruled the point of order on the ground that it did not apply to money coming into the Treasury of the United States in trust for purposes which are specifically ment to the appropriation bill changed existing law and increased expenditures, and consequently under Rule 112 was not in order on an appropriation bill After debate thereon, the Speaker overruled the point of order on the ground that the amendment did not on its face enact new legislation but expressly proceeded upon the assumption that no new legislation was required; and this theory was sustained by a variety of legislation during the past ten years; and that the omission of Congress to appropriate money for a specific object or purpose did not necessarily mr. Conger made the point of order that the preamble and resolution offered by Mr. Potter did not present or invole a question of privilege, and were not in order at this time. The Speaker overruled the point of order the transfer of the ground that the said preamble and resolution of the ground that the said preamble and resolutions. order on the ground that the said preamble olution presented the question of the rightful occu-pancy of the executive chair and the connection of prominent officials with frauds alleged to have been committed in connection therewith, and, being presented on behalf of a sovereign State whose rights nesses; and thirdly, that the resolution involved an expenditure of money, and must receive its first consideration in the Committee of the Whole House. The Speaker overruled the said points of order on the ground that the resolution, having been decided by the House to be a question of privilege, was before the House, subject to the action of a majority; secondly, that the matter of administering oaths belonged to the committee, if raised; and finally, that the expenditure authorized by the said resolution would be

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right to report at any time was not in order, as the	reported back and laid on the table	2662
same would change the order of business prescribed	H. R. No. 2456, for the relief of James M. Smiley	320
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the presence of a quorum had been shown. Mr. Hale	the United States and to regulate the removal of	
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moved that the appeal be laid on the table; and the	proved March 3, 1875	622
question being put, it was decided in the affirmative-	referred to the Committee on the Judiciary	
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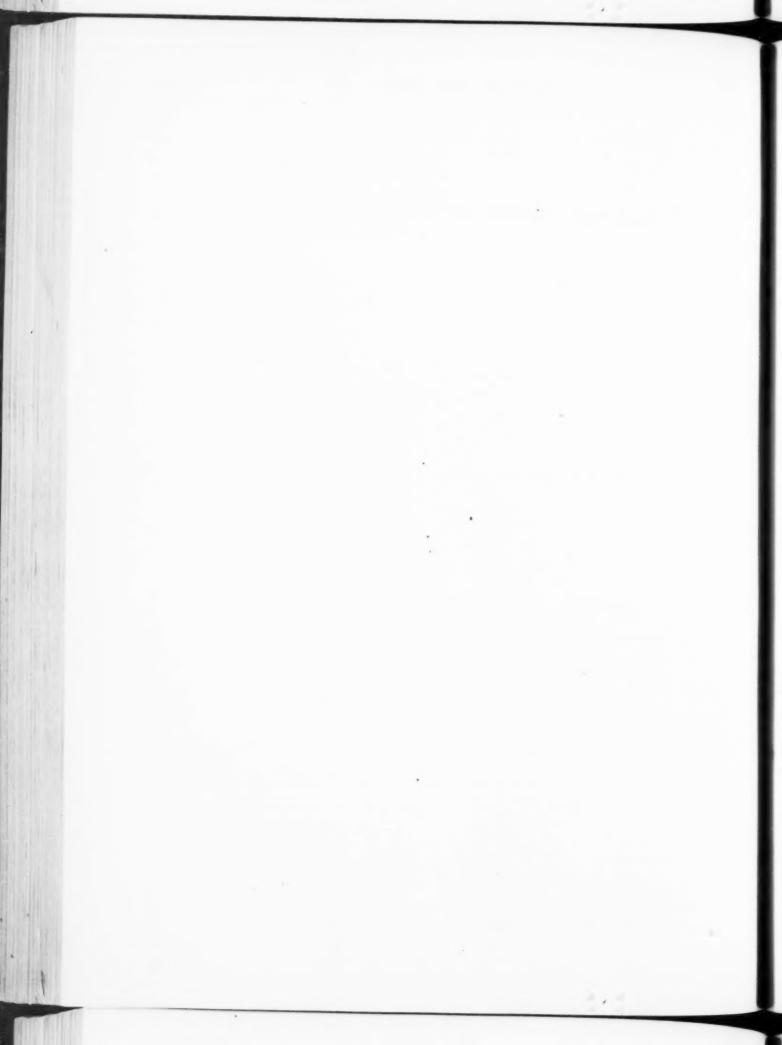
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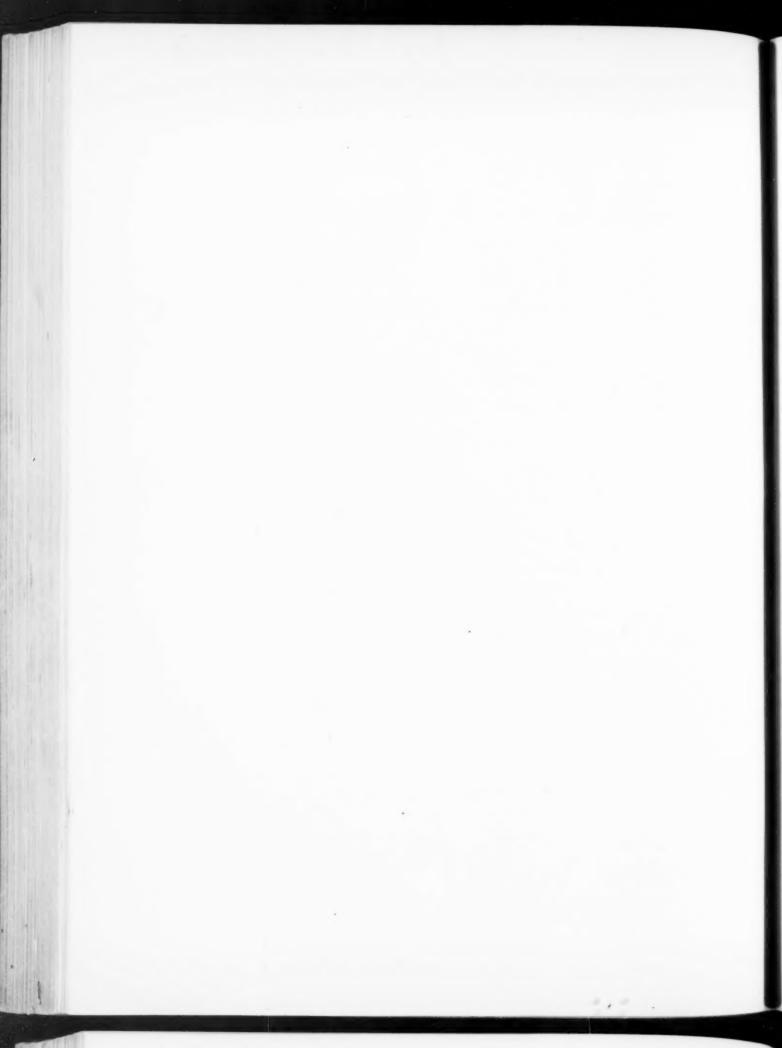
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cipal and interest, at the option of the Government of the United States, in silver dollars, and that to restore to its coinage such silver coins as a legal tender	Considered and adopted by the Senate
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gation of the rights of the public creditor. Submitted by Mr. Matthews, of Ohio, and adopted by the	enabling Senators and Representatives to attend the fune- ral of the late Joseph Henry, Secretary of the Smithso.
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That there be printed 10,000 copies of the report of the United States entomological commission; 6,000 copies of which	the use of the House of Representatives, and 4,000 copies for the use of the Commissioner of Agriculture.
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To fix the relative rank of Captain and Assistant Surgeon Arch. B. Campbell, of the United States Army.		Introduced by Mr. Hewitt, of Alabama	. 96
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H. R. No. 3948— For the relief of Martin Clark.		To grant to the State of Ohio the unsold and unappropriated	
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H. R. No. 3949— To recognize and pay certain claims due by the State of West		H. R. No. 3964— Granting a pension to Sophia L. Barber, widow of Thomas R.	
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H. R. No. 3950—		Granting a pension to Isabel L. Evans.	
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orado.		Introduced by Mr. Sinnickson, of New Jersey Referred to the Committee on Invalid Pensions	
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Donating to the city of Denver block numbered 143 in the east		ternal revenue for the eighth collection district of Virginia.	
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Reported back with a bill (H. R. No. 4779) as a substitute.	3224	Reported by Mr. Bouck, of Wisconsin, from the Committee	
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To amend chapter 4 of title 32 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, entitled Pre-emptions, and to prevent		bill No. 1652	1840
frauds in the entry of the public lands.		Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary	
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Referred to the Committee on Public Lands	1000	Considered and passed by the Senate	
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States, concerning homesteads.	1000	Approved by the President	4899
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H. R. No. 3955—		trict of Columbia, and for other purposes.	
To re-enact and continue in force the act to authorize the set- tlement of the accounts of officers of the Army and Navy.		Reported by Mr. Bouck, of Wisconsin, from the Committee for the District of Columbia, as a substitute for House	
Introduced by Mr. Patterson, of Colorado	1838	bill No. 1633	1840
Referred to the Committee on Military Affairs	1838	Considered and passed by the House	
For the relief of Thompson, Horn & Co., of Las Animas		Referred to the Senate Committee on the Judiciary Reported back with amendments	
County, Colorado, for horses stolen by Indians.		Considered and passed by the Senate	-2918
Introduced by Mr. Patterson, of Colorado		Referred to the House Committee on the District of Colum-	
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To confirm to the city of Chicago, Illinois, the title to certain public grounds.	Improvement Commission," and for the correction, perma-
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For the relief of Private William Hines, Company F, Eigh-		the United States at the city of Charlotte, North Carolina.	
teenth United States Infantry, who lost his trowsers and	l.	Introduced by Mr. Steele, of North Carolina	6
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1,500 for the use of the House of Representatives, and 1,000 for the use of the Superintendent. Submitted by Mr. Banning, of Ohio	That there be printed 5,000 copies of the report on the lands of the arid region of the United States by G. W. Powell; 1,000 for the use of the Senate, 2,000 for the use of the House of Representatives, and 2,000 for the use of the Department of the Interior. Submitted by Mr. Henderson, of Illinois	0000
That there be printed 25,000 copies of the annual report of the Commissioner of Education for 1876. Submitted by Mr. Goode, of Virginia	Referred to the Committee on Printing	
Referred to the Committee on Printing	be known as national money. Submitted by Mr. Wright, of Pennsylvania	2384 2384
A concurrent resolution— That there be printed 10,000 copies of the report of the United States entomological commission, 6,000 copies of which shall be for the use of the House of Representatives,	That a joint committee to be denominated a joint committee on the census be appointed to consider and report upon a proper measure to be adopted for the taking of the census, and that said committee may report by bill or otherwise.	(Notes)
3,000 for the use of the Senate, and 1,000 copies for the use of the commission. Submitted by Mr. Haskell, of Kansas	Submitted by Mr. Cox, of New York. Considered and adopted by the House. Referred to the Special Committee of the Senate on the Tenth Census. Reported back and postponed indefinitely	2873 2953
Referred to the Senate Committee on Printing	A concurrent resolution— That there be bound 500 copies of the Geological and Geographical Atlas of Colorado and portions of the adjacent territory under the Hayden survey; one copy for distribution to each Senator and Member of the House of Representatives and Delegate from the Territories; the balance for distribution by the office of the survey; the style of binding to be determined by the joint committee of the two Houses on printing.	
officers of the survey. Reported by Mr. Singleton, of Mississippi, from the Committee on Printing	Reported by Mr. Singleton, of Mississippi, from the Committee on Printing	3595
A concurrent resolution— That there be printed 100,000 copies of the report upon for- estry, transmitted by the President to Congress, from the Commissioner of Agriculture, on the 13th of December last; of this number, 63,000 shall be for the use of the House of Representatives, 17,000 for the Senate, and 20,000	That there be printed 3,000 copies each of volumes 4 and 12 of the final reports of the United States Geological and Geo- graphical Survey of the Territories in quarto form, with the accompanying illustrations, 1,500 of which shall be for the House, 500 for the Senate, and 1,000 for distribu- tion by the survey.	
for the Department of Agriculture: Provided, That the number of pages shall not exceed eleven hundred. There shall be allowed a sum not exceeding \$600 for drawings and engravings necessary for this report. Reported by Mr. Cutler, of New Jersey, from the Committee on Agriculture	That the resolution heretofore adopted for the adjournment of	4385 4768 4809
Reported back, amended, and adopted by the House 2032-2034 Referred to the Senate Committe on Printing 2097 Reported back and concurred in by the Senate 2255 A concurrent resolution—	Congress on the 17th instant be, and the same is hereby, rescinded, and that the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives adjourn their respective Houses on Thursday, the 20th instant, at	
That there be printed 300,000 copies of the Report of the Commissioner of Agriculture for 1877; 224,000 copies for the use of the House of Representatives, 56,000 copies for the use of the Senate, and 20,000 copies for the use of the Department of Agriculture. Reported by Mr. Cutler, from the Committee on Agriculture. 1949 Referred to the Committee on Printing	twelve o'clock m. Submitted by Mr. Waddell, of North Carolina	4573 4573
Reported back with amendment and adopted by the House. 2032 Referred to the Senate Committee on Printing. 2007 Reported back with amendment 3306 Considered and concurred in by the Senate. 3486-3491 Referred to the House Committee on Printing 3924	day the 18th of June, current; and at that time the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House of Representatives shall adjourn their respective Houses without day. Sphmitted by Mr. Wood, of New York	468
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Concurrent resolution— That the Clerk of the House in the enrollment of the act entitled "An act making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1879, and for other purposes," be directed to insert the word "five" in that portion of the act aforesaid which	age.	A concurrent resolution—Continued. that time the Speaker of the House and the President of the Senate shall adjourn their respective Houses without day. Submitted by Mr. Atkins, of Tennessee. Considered and adopted by the House.	Page 489 489
fixes the rate per cent. of interest which the bonds of the District of Columbia shall bear, so that said bonds shall draw interest at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum. Submitted by Mr. Atkins, of Tennessee. Adopted by the House. Concurred in by the Senate A concurrent resolution— That the time fixed for the final adjournment of the second session of the Forty-fifth Congress is hereby extended to five o'clock a. m. on Thursday, June 20, 1878, and at		A concurrent resolution— That the time fixed for the final adjournment of the second session of the Forty-fifth Congress is hereby extended to seven o'clock a. m. on Thursday, June 20, 1878; and that at that time the Speaker of the House of Representatives and the President of the Senate shall adjourn their respective Houses without day. Submitted by Mr. Atkins, of Tennessee Considered and adopted by the House Concurred in by the Senate	489 489